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PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 15436.438.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 3, 2006, the period for response extending to November 3, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin following the Amendments section of this paper.